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# Room Service? Put The Kids To Work

If the kids start complaining of boredom on vacation, make sure you're staying at Bretton Woods in New Hampshire, because this hotel has a cure. Travelsmart reports that the Mount Washington resort is one of several historic hotels that allow kids to work. At Bretton Woods, they can help in the stables caring for horses and doing maintenance. At the Fairmont in San Francisco, children can be doorman for the day, whistling for taxis. And the Peabody in Memphis lets children assist the Duckmaster in charge of Peabody's famous army of ducks. For more information, visit www.historic hotels.com.

### The Suite Life

What does \$40,000 buy? If you're a well-heeled traveler, it's one night at the Hugh Hefner Sky Villa, a two-story; 10,000-square-foot hideaway with a \$700,000 cantilevered Jacuzzi that juts over the Las Vegas Strip, a rotating bed beneath a mirrored ceiling and around-the-clock butler service. The Playboy-themed escape, which opened last fall at the Palms Casino Resort, is the most expensive of 101 hotel suites featured in a just-released annual survey by Elite Traveler, a magazine distributed aboard private jets and mega-yachts to readers with average household incomes of more than \$5 million. Editors tapped 14 well-traveled celebrities, including Wimbledon champion Roger Federer and performers Kim Cattrall, Harry Connick Jr. and Cuba Gooding Jr., to help review the suites, which were judged on luxury, location, privacy and one-of-a-kind design.

### On the Family Plan

For a quiet family getaway, "Bonding at the Bluff" at the Inn at Palmetto Bluff offers lodging in a two-bedroom home, a family golf or tennis lesson and family cruise on the inn's historic wooden motor yacht, for \$900 per night, valid through Aug. 30 with a three-night minimum stay. Tax and resort fee are additional. Larger homes are available at additional cost. Guests have complimentary access to bikes, kayaks, canoes and fishing poles. Palmetto Bluff is in

Bluffton in the Lowcountry of South Carolina. For more information, call 866-706-6565 or visit www.palmettobluffresort.com.

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THE MOUNT WASHINGTON HOTEL in Bretton Woods, N.H., has the answer for youngsters tired of swimming, horseback riding, hiking and other vacation activities: They can help out in the stables



LAS VEGAS will be at your feet, and \$40,000 will be out of your pocket, in this Palms Casino Resort suite with a Jacuzzi jutting out over the Strip.



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